

CANCER CAUSE OF POPE LEO'S DEATH?

Prof. Cardarelli, of Rome, Makes Promised Statement and Tries to Show Diagnosis in Pontiff's Case Was Incorrect.

DESCRIBES THE SYMPTOMS.

Physician Who Could Not Be Called in Consultation Because He Is an Italian Government Official Goes into Details of Illness.

ROME, Sept. 10.—Prof. Cardarelli, the eminent physician, who is a member of the Senate, publishes in the *Revista d'Italia* today a long article to demonstrate that Pope Leo XIII. died of tuberculous cancer of the right hydrothorax.

He fortifies his statement with arguments based on his own experience and that of authorities such as Trousseau, Barth, Frankel and Zagarì to show that all the symptoms of the illness of Pope Leo XIII., as stated in official bulletins by Drs. Lippioni and Mazzoni, lead to the conclusion that the late Pope was not affected by pleurisy or pleuro-pneumonia.

Prof. Cardarelli affirms that from the moment the bloody liquid appears in the pleura and is found through thoracentesis, especially when the fluid gathers deceitfully without pain or fever or manifest cause of pleurisy, the diagnosis of pleurisy must be excluded, and that when the liquid forms in the right pleura, it usually indicates cancer or hydrothorax in aged persons.

There are forms of senile pleurisy or pneumonia, he continues, in which fever, pain and cough are lacking, but these are almost without exception of a tuberculous nature.

The declaration that the post-mortem examination confirmed the diagnosis made by Doctors Lippioni and Mazzoni, the professor declares, is not sufficient, as only careful microscopic examination in these cases can establish the real affection of the pleura.

The professor's statement concludes as follows:

"Hematic serum gathered deceitfully without fever, pain or cough in an old man of ninety-four, with diminishing strength, should have made the doctors think of cancer of the pleura or tuberculous hydrothorax, instead of pleurisy, pleuro-pneumonia or senile pulmonary hepatization, but it is impossible to make a diagnosis without having seen the patient and with precise data on the chemical nature of the composition of the liquid taken from the pleura."

YOUTH OF SIXTEEN TRIES TO END LIFE

Morris Rosenblaug Found Himself Weighted Down with Business Cares Too Heavy for His Young Shoulders.

Weighted down with responsibility and business cares which his young shoulders found too heavy to support, Morris Rosenblaug, sixteen years old, attempted to kill himself to-day in an office in the building at No. 831 Broadway. The very books that oppressed his mind were a temporary resting-place for the young man until found by the janitress of the building on her way from room to room in the ordinary course of her employment.

Rosenblaug, who lives in the Bronx, and whose brother is a city physician stationed at Blackwell's Island, tried to end his life with illuminating gas. When found he was in a very critical condition and at St. Vincent's Hospital, where he now is, the physicians are doubtful if his life can be saved.

For the last week Rosenblaug has been managing the New York office of the Ova B. Shaw Hat and Cap house of Boston. The local manager was called to Boston on a matter of importance. Rosenblaug being left in temporary charge.

He was a bright young man, full of ambition and burned with a desire to rise to the highest position in the gift of his employers. Of late he worked so hard that his business duties took him to his office at night.

His family censured him time and again for not giving himself that physical rest which his young years demanded for the preservation of his health. The boy did not heed their advice, but worked on.

Last night he sat down at his office desk and wrote a long letter to his public. This letter is now in the hands of the police.

Rosenblaug outlined how the business should be managed until the return of the company's local manager. He even went into the details of office work. His second reference is to money which would be found in a drawer of the desk at which he sat. So far the police have been unable to locate this money.

Rosenblaug was highly respected by his employers, who considered his business acumen as an index of his worth. He has been employed by the Boston company ever since he was a very young man and has advanced from place to place. He was in line for a position of responsibility. The firm is at a loss to know the reason for the boy's attempt at suicide.

HER FATHER DEAD, ACTRESS GOES ON

Frederick Clifton. Well-Known Actor, Dies in Boston Hospital Before Maria Glover, His Daughter, Can Reach Him.

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—Frederick Clifton, a well-known actor and once a friend of Henry Irving, died alone in Boston Hospital with hundreds of friends here and in his home city, New York. Last Saturday he went to the hospital very ill with pneumonia and when he learned his condition he wrote to his daughter Estella in New York telling her the situation.

The letter was delayed and she could not arrange until yesterday to come to Boston. She is known to the theatrical world as Maria Glover and while playing with the "Night Before Christmas" company at the Gotham Theatre, Brook-

lyn, last night a telegram announcing his death was handed her.

She swooned, but recovered and finished the last act, after which she fainted again. She and her daughter came here to-day and the body will be sent to New York for burial.

Mr. Clifton had been here with "The Sign of the Cross" company. Last season he was with Dan Daly in "John Henry" and he had been with the "Liberty Belle," "Erminie," "Pirates of Penzance" and "Mikado."

Mr. Clifton came to this country about twenty years ago from England with Gilbert and Sullivan. He was an accomplished musician and had composed several light operas which met with success. Besides a wife he is survived by six children, all of whom are on the stage. Ethel, Alice, Charles, Thomas, Eva and Emily Clifton are now playing with the "Tess of the D'Urbervilles" company, under Mrs. Fluke.

DYNAMITE FOR CRUSADER.

Home of Editor Who Fought Liquor Men Blown Up.

BERNE, Ind., Sept. 10.—The home of Fred Rohrer, editor of the *Berne Witness*, was almost demolished by dynamite early to-day. The family was extricated from the ruins with slight injuries. Rohrer's paper has been leading the opposition to licensed saloons.

EXPLOSION SHAKES SECTION OF JERSEY

Forcible Powder Works Blows Up, Setting Fire to Car Loaded with Dynamite, Which Was Also Shattered.

DOVER, N. J., Sept. 10.—There was a tremendous explosion in the shipping house of the American Forcible Powder Works at Lake Hopatcong, the concussion being felt plainly in Dover, more than eight miles away. The building, a frame structure 75 by 40 feet, was blown to pieces and all in a hole in the ground shows where it stood.

The ruins caught fire and the packing-house and another frame building adjoining in which was stored a large quantity of dynamite were destroyed. Near the door of the packing-house stood a car loaded with cases of dynamite. The caught fire and was blown up, and for miles around trees and fences were blown down, the force of the explosion being felt in two counties. So far as known nobody was injured.

LOWEST PRICED STORE IN NEW YORK FOR FINE GOODS.

Ehrich Bros.

6TH AVE. 22d to 23d ST., NEW YORK.

The Great Chinaware Sale Has Caught the Popular Fancy

Crowded every hour since its opening—crowds from in town—crowds from out of town—crowds from everywhere. All realize the importance of the sale—the goods speak for themselves. Time, now, is everything to us. The builders are crowding work on our new building (on the 23d Street side), and we must be ready to act. When connecting walls begin to come down there will be no alternative except to move the goods bodily. That we must avoid—and that is why we make such offers as these:

White Porcelain Ware.

Extra Thin.

8c. DINNER PLATES at 4c.
7c. TEA PLATES at 3c.
6c. BREAD AND BUTTER PLATES at 2c.
5c. covered VEGE-TABLE DISHES at 2c.
4c. TEA CUPS and SAUCERS at 1c.
3c. FRUIT SAUCERS at 1c.
2c. large oval VEGE-TABLE DISHES (fancy) at 1c.
Extra large 2c. ones at 1c.
15c. dined SALAD BOWLS at 8c.

Porcelain Pieces.

14c. DINNER PLATES and 12c. TEA PLATES— Dresden decorations—gold lined at 8c.
40c. BREAD AND BUTTER PLATES—Dresden decorations—gold lined at 2c.
35c. covered VEGE-TABLE DISHES—decorated and gold traced at 3c.
25c. SALAD BOWLS—large, fancy, gold stippled and floriated at 1c.
15c. OLIVE and PICKLE DISHES at 5c.
6c. FRUIT SAUCERS—decorated at 3c.
15c. TEA CUPS and SAUCERS—flow blue and green; illuminated decorations at 8c.

Meat Platters.

Of Extra Thin White Porcelain, All Fancy Shapes.

8-inch—15c. quality at 6c.
10-inch—20c. quality at 7c.
12-inch—25c. quality at 10c.
12-inch—25c. quality at 12c.
All Handsomely Decorated.

Austrian & Carlsbad China.

Austrian china CAKE PLATES, handsomely decorated in assorted delicate decorations and stippled in gold; regularly 40c. at 25c.
Carlsbad china GILBERT TRAYS, handsomely decorated and tinted in gold; regularly 40c. at 25c.
Carlsbad and Austrian china TEA CUPS AND SAUCERS, 20 styles, in the newest floral decorations, stippled and traced in gold; regularly 15c. to 25c. for cup and saucer; all at 9c.

Crystal Glass table

TUMBLERS—regular 4c. quality at 15c. per dozen, or each 1 1/2c. The 5c. thin blown kind at 3c. each.

Tea Sets.

112-piece English porcelain DINNER SETS, handsomely decorated in assorted underglaze decorations; regularly \$12.00 at 7.98.
112-piece English porcelain DINNER SETS, handsomely decorated in flow blue or flow green underglaze decorations, newest shapes; regularly \$15.00 at 9.98.
100-piece Austrian China DINNER SETS, handsomely decorated, delicate floral decorations, newest shapes, extra thin china; regularly \$19.00 at 12.98.

Toilet Sets.

85-piece extra thin white porcelain TEA SETS, newest shapes; regularly \$13.00 at 1.98.
100-piece porcelain TOILET SETS, spray decorations; regularly \$6.00 at 3.25.
9-piece Austrian China TOILET SETS, delicate decorations, gold lined; regularly \$12.00 at 4.98.
10-piece porcelain TOILET SETS, handsomely decorated and traced in gold; newest shapes; regularly \$4.88 at 3.24.
11-piece TOILET SETS, with large, covered SLOP JAR, handsomely decorated; regularly \$6.98 at 4.98.

Dinner Sets.

100-piece white porcelain DINNER SETS, of extra thin china; newest shapes; regular price \$9.88 at 3.49.
100-piece porcelain DINNER SETS, handsomely decorated in delicate assorted floral decorations; regularly \$15.00 at 5.49.

School Shoes.

This week's Shoe Offerings are more than great—they are phenomenal even in this store of unusual values. Read:

500 Pairs Misses' and Children's School Shoes in Button and Lace, patent leather and kid tips; every size and width; neat, dressy and durable; regular \$1.50 value at 75c.
Little Girls' Box Calf and Vici Kid Shoes, sizes 8 to 13 1/2; neat, comfortable and dressy; regular \$1.50 value at 75c.
Boys' and Youths' Satin Calf School Shoes, sizes 11 to 15 1/2; well made, English back stays; regular \$2.00 value at 98c.

We include the remainder of John Mundell & Co.'s School Shoes for Misses' and Children at 98c. a pair.

DESCRIPTION—Button and Lace School SHOES, soft, dongola and box calf, with patent leather and kid tips—all sizes and widths from 5 to 2—some Patent Leather Dress SHOES among them—both button and lace—limit of one pair to a customer; no telephone or mail orders and none sent C. O. D.—regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 values—for 98c.

Advance Fall Styles in Children's School Dresses and Sailor Suits.

Children's Dresses in Scotch plaids, in green, red and blue; yoke trimmed with cloth and pearl buttons; ruffle finished with novelty braid and satin bow, full skirt and deep hem; lined throughout with percale; value \$1.50; sale price 98c.
Children's Fancy Dresses and Sailor Suits, trimmed with novelty braids and emblems, in fine serge; lined throughout; value \$2.95; sale price 1.98.
Children's Fine All-Wool Serge Dresses, in Russian style, waist side-plated effect with three-star emblem, the entire dress piped with plaid silk; belt to match; in red, blue or brown; value \$3.75; sale price 2.50.
Misses' Walking Skirts, in Scotch Tweed mixtures, nine-pore, side-plated effect, with full flare; strictly tailored; value \$6.50; sale price 4.50.

R-U GOING? GEO. C. TILYU'S "Beautiful Steeplechase Park" Amusement Exposition, CONEY ISLAND,

Most Successful Pleasure Resort in the World.

Millions of people have patronized it during the past summer and have been delighted.

Inaugurating our Fall Season, commencing Sept. 10th, a Souvenir Combination Ticket, entitling holder to admission to Park and all the great attractions, will be on sale at 25c. for one week.

The following is a facsimile of the combination ticket that can be purchased for 25 cents.

SOUVENIR COMBINATION TICKET

For All the Great Attractions Attached To This Heading

15 Indian Congress Good For Admission

14 "Down and Out" Good For One Ride

13 "The Limit" Good For Admission

12 Giant See Saw Good For One Trip

11 "Dew Drop" Good For One Ride

10 Laughing Gallery Good For One Laugh

9 "Lalla Rookh" Good For Admission

8 Kelly's Slide Good For One Trip

7 Miniature Rail Road Good For Round Trip

6 House of Too Much Trouble Good For Admission

5 Cave of the Winds Good For Trip

4 Sea Serpent Good For One Journey

3 House Upside Down Good For Admission

2 Razzle Dazzle Good For Round Trip

1 French Voyage Good For One Sail

Steeplechase Park will remain open all winter.

All outdoor attractions open until October.

Rothenberg co. AND WEST 14TH ST. We Give the Famous Blue Trading Stamps with Cash Purchases.

Bargain Friday's Store News Brims with

Peerless Values in Garments for School.

Fall stocks are now at the very height of beauty. Assortments are the broadest we ever had. In view of school opening, we have planned liberally for school outfitting. Our garments for girls and boys are superior. Our prices are emphatically the lowest that can be quoted. Following specials speak for themselves:

Misses' Handsome Fall Suits at \$5.98.

Louis XIV. skirted blouse coat with trimmings of velvet and fancy silk braid, large puff sleeves. Skirts in the newest seven-gore flare style. Made from fine wool fancy suitings, in blue and gray; sizes 12 to 18 years; worth \$8.98; special at 5.98.

Beautiful Suits for Women, Special at \$9.98

All-wool Pebbled Cheviot, superior quality, in blue or black. Also handsome mixed suitings. The coats are made after the long skirted model. The coats in the mixed materials have shoulder capes and are belted at the waist; body lined with silk serge; newest sleeve. The skirts are walking length, fully plaited, and cut from advance patterns. Sizes 32 to 42. \$15 value. Special at 9.98.

Fall Waists at 49c.

In Plain White or Dotted Cheviot, plaited from waist to hem and trimmed with pearl buttons, stitched back stock, large puff sleeves; all sizes, to-morrow at 49c.

Girls' School Hats.

Several good new shapes in mohair felt in the wanted colors; trimmed with ribbon and ends, and worth \$1.00; here to-morrow at 79c.
Children's Crush Hats, the popular "Knockabout" hat in up-to-date styles and the right colors; worth 75c; here to-morrow, each at 49c.

Women's Hats Under Price.

Hand-made Hats. Several of the best styles of Jap. silk and horsehair and spanglers; all the new frames for Fall values up to \$1.69, at 98c.

New Mohair Felt Dress Shapes.

All the new blocks in all the new colors. Made for this season and made to sell for \$1.00. Special here to-morrow, each at 69c.

Magnificent Opportunities for Boys.

Two-piece double breasted, three-piece Sack, Norfolk, Sailor Blouses and Russian Blouses. All-wool chevrons, worsteds, cassimeres and Venetians. Plain colors in blue, black or gray, as well as scores of fancy mixtures, all sewed with silk and strongly lined; sizes 3 to 16; special at 1.98.

Boys' Suits with Extra Pants at \$1.98.

Double-breasted style two-piece Suits, with extra Pants to match. Shown in blue and black fast-color chevrons. They are matchless outfits at the price. Most stores are getting double or near it. Thoroughly well made and perfect fitting; Italian lining; patent bands; taped and reinforced seams; sizes 7 to 15; special at 1.98.

Boys' 75c. Pants at 39c.

Made for us in enormous quantities. That's why we undersell other good stores. Unmatchable school wear. Fine woollen cheviot, in plain and mixed fabrics—double knee, double knees, patent band, riveted buttons and taped seams—finished with hip pockets and deep hems; sizes 4 to 15; special at 39c.

School Hosiery.

These are Stockings exceptionally well adapted to the hard wear that school children will give them.

Children's Fast Black Cotton Hose, fine and corduroy ribbed, double heel, toe and knee; special, per pair 12c.

Children's Fast Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, fine and wide ribbed, fashioned feet, high spliced heel and toe; 25c. quality, special at 14c.

Misses' and Boys' Fine Fast Black Cotton Hose, fine ribbed, fashioned feet, high spliced heel and toe, double knee; special, per pair 19c.

Handkerchiefs.

Especially Suitable for School Use. This special purchase includes hundreds of dozens of Handkerchiefs which are admirable for school use. Both plain white, hemstitched, and white with colored borders are represented; special to-morrow at, each 3c.

Laces and Neckwear.

Lace and Embroidered Collarlets, ranging in value up to 25c. each; special at 12c.

Pl. de Paris, Torchons and Fancy Cotton Laces, in matched sets, assorted widths; extremely good value at, per yard 5c.

Outing Flannel Wear, Muslin Wear and Children's School Aprons.

Outing Flannel Gowns, fancy stripes, full size, heavy quality, two styles, double yoke, with satin over collars and cuffs, of plain materials or gathered at neck; with turnover collar and embroidery trimmed, 65c. value, at 49c.

Gowns, heavy muslin, in V-shape and high neck, insertings of embroidery and torchon lace, clusters of fine tucks, 75c. value at 59c.

Corsets, manufacturers' samples, values \$1.00 to \$3.00; some slightly soiled; sizes 18 to 30 in. at 69c.

Immense Silk Value.

10,000 Yards of 45c. Fabrics at 29c. Never before such quality and beauty for the price! These are all silk taffetas. Look at the lustre! Feel the weight! Plenty of good stores sell them at the higher price as all silk taffeta. Firmly woven and very serviceable. Shown in a wide range of most attractive colorings; special, per yard 29c.

2 Great Dress Goods Value.

25 Pieces of Double Fold Bright Tartan Plaids, suitable for children's dresses, shown in a great variety of styles and colorings; worth 29c. per yard; special at 19c.

Domestics, &c. 7c.

Special Lot of Good Quality Pillow Cases, 45x36, at 7c.

Extra Heavy and Large Size Sheets, 81x90, each 49c.

Good Quality Hemmed Huck Towels, each 6c.

Extra Heavy Russia Kitchen Towelling, yard 4 1/2c.

Extra Heavy Dinner Napkins, size 24x24, value \$1.75, at doz. 1.25

Special Egyptian Percales.

On sale to-morrow at phenomenal prices; full 36 inches wide and worth 19c per yard. Special at 12 1/2c.

Sale of Fans.

The Most Exceptional Value Ever Offered.

White Silk Fans, with silver decorated sticks; assortment includes Fans profusely decorated with silver spangles, Fans with spangles and lace edge; also hand painted in flower design, with wide lace sides; actual value 69c.; special, 25c.

Also an assortment of White Silk Fans, more elaborately decorated and finer quality than above; both spangled and hand painted decorations; worth 98c.; special 49c. at 25c.

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